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Subject: RE: Old Chemours effluent Water etc.

Hi Mark,
I will need to prepare a level A QAPP before I can begin any testing of your extracts. Conduct of the assays I have proposed with concentrated water samples is covered under my RAP task, but as I think you know (☺), all perfluorinated work needs a level A QAPP. Right now I am writing one for some work on using machine learning tools to evaluate co-occurrence and I need to get that one finished and moving along for approval, before I start another one. Will keep you updated on our QAPP progress.
Good luck at TRAC. I have not been in years, but I always enjoyed it – i.e. learned a lot in a very collegial, cooperative atmosphere.
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FYI,

I am going to be away at the TRACs meeting in Cincinnati this evening until Friday AM.

I was able to run 20 L of the old Chemours effluent stream water yesterday onto 5 SPE cartridges (4L/cartridge). My colleague Johnsie Lang measured the concentration of GenX in the water at 8,500 ng/L and PFMOAA at ~ 75,000 ng/L. I think the Nafion By Product #2 was around 250 ng/L. There are likely other PFAS I don't have accurate concentration measurements for in the water.

Thus each cartridge has:
(4) 8,500 ng GenX = 34,000 ng (= 34 ug GenX)
(4) 75,000 ng PFMOAA = 300,000 ng (= 300 ug PFMOAA)
(4) 250 ng Nafion BP2 = 1,000 ng (=1 ug Nafion BP2)
(4) other unmeasured PFAS???

I have not eluted any of the cartridges yet. They are dry and stored in my lab. I usually extract with 5 mL 0.1% NH4OH in methanol and evaporate down to about 1 mL for analysis. Let me know what does or does not work for each of your efforts.

Mark